

# **WELLESLEY RECREATION COMMISSION**

## **MINUTES**

**April 28, 2014**

**6 pm at Warren Building**

### **Attending:**

Mr. Conlin, Mr. Burt, Mr. McKay, Mr. Wrobel, Mr. Ryder, Mr. Chin & Mrs. Kaseta  
Chris Barlow, Reserve A Game

### **Business:**

Minutes from April 14, 2014 were approved.

**Motion:** By Mr. Conlin to approve minutes from April 14, 2014  
**Seconded:** By Mr. Burt  
**Vote:** All in favor

### **Wellesley Parade:**

Mrs. Kaseta will send out an email to set a time for the float to be built.

### **Year to Date Surplus:**

Distributed.

### **Commission Reorganization:**

Reorganization tabled

**Motion:** By Mr. Conlin to support the appointment, by Board of Selectmen, of Mr. McKay as the interim Recreation Commission until the current term is completed.  
**Seconded:** By Mr. Burt  
**Vote:** All in favor

### **Reserve A Game - Tennis:**

Mrs. Kaseta introduced Mr. Barlow from Reserve A Game. Mr. Barlow gave an overview of Reserve A Game.

**Motion:** By Mr. Burt to approve the use of Reserve A Game by the Recreation Department as a 1 year trial.  
**Seconded:** By Mr. Conlin  
**Vote:** All in favor

### **General Discussion – Programs & Facilities:**

Mr. Chin informed the Commission that he currently has 10 lifeguards for the upcoming season. As it stands, the current options are to close or have a roped off open water swim area that is significantly smaller. Mr. Wrobel does not want Morses Pond to close as it would be detrimental to subsequent seasons. Mr. Chin and Mrs. Kaseta will put together options on an open water scenario for distribution.

Mr. Wrobel informed the Commission that at Town Meeting, a new bylaw was passed to include veterans with senior citizens to be allowed to volunteer at Town departments and receive real estate tax reductions. Mr. Wrobel inquired about the next Beach Safety Team meeting and that a date needs to be set prior to opening. Mr. Wrobel informed the Commission of the current status of the high school basketball court and the proposed light plan.

**Motion:** By Mr. Burt that the Recreation Commission requires at least 10+ foot candles of light at the HS outdoor basketball courts. This requirement is in the interest of safe play on the courts.

**Seconded:** By Mr. Conlin

**Vote:** All in favor

**Citizen Speak:**

None

### **Next Meeting:**

The next Commission meeting will be April 14, 2014; 6pm; Warren

**Motion:** To adjourn by Mr. Sheehan

**Seconded:** Mr. Conlin

**Vote:** All in favor

Meeting adjourned at 7:43 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jan Kaseta

JK/mc/kb